## COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

## BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

APPLICATION FOR THE TRANSFER OF )
OWNERSHIP OF MIDDLETOWN SEWAGE )
TREATMENT, INC. TO THE LOUISVILLE ) CASE NO. 10191
AND JEFFERSON COUNTY METROPOLITAN )
SEWER DISTRICT )

## ORDER

On March 11, 1988, Middletown Sewage Treatment, Inc., ("Middletown") and the Louisville and Jefferson County Metropolitan Sewer District ("MSD") filed a joint application requesting approval of the transfer of Middletown, which is owned by Sidney Chase, to MSD.

## **FINDINGS**

The Commission, having considered the evidence of record and being advised, is of the opinion and finds that:

- 1. MSD is ready, willing and able to acquire the land and physical assets of Middletown and provide adequate and reliable service to the customers served therein.
- 2. The owners of Middletown are ready and willing to sell inasmuch as they wish to divest themselves of the ownership and operations of the sewage treatment system.
- 3. The quality of service of the customers of Middletown will not suffer in that MSD has knowledge and experience in the operation and maintenance of sewage treatment facilities.

4. The agreed-upon purchase price is \$50,000 which was determined through negotiations between the representatives of Middletown and MSD.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the transfer of ownership of Middletown Sewage Treatment, Inc., to the Louisville and Jefferson County Metropolitan Sewer District be and it hereby is approved.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 23rd day of March, 1988.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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ATTEST: